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In re Application of

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DRIL-QUIP, INC.

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Method of Installing Flange on For:

Tubular Body at Desired Elevation §

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Written Opinion Report dated 13 July 2004, please amend the Application as follows:

Claims 1, 13 and 14 are currently amended.

Claims 2-12 are Original.

Please add new Claims 15-25.